escaping cat. He had not secured his

Only a slight increase over last year's ap-

portionment was conceded to the Depart-

ment of Charities when they applied for an

increase to the Board of Estimate and Ap portionment. Mayor GRANT opposed the in-

crease. Too much judgment cannot be used by the Board, but the fact that there

is a clamor from every side for increase of

apportionment should not make considera-

There are moments when our climate is

rare and far between, will vanish if the

soft-coal nuisance is to gain a footing in

this town. Cincinnati, St. Louis, Pittsburg

son enough to New York to avoid that

unnecessary misery for itself at any cost.

An Illinois Congressman proposes Mr

WILLIAM R. MORRISON as a gentle

man and a Democrat who could be elected

President "without the least trouble" in

1802. But shouldn't we look rather for the

candidate who could be elected with the

Quotations on Farwell votes in the Illi-

nois Legislature are given at \$7,500,offered

that the United States Senate will soon get

It seems a little strange that a man with

The ghost dance in Congress gives signs

SPOTLETS.

"Patience" performed by a lot of Duffers may in-

A jolly tar is a salt, but he is not "assault and

The bridsl reign is almost the same as a check

A man who lit his pipe in a powder mill had

brief but powerful lesson on the evils of the use of

The deuce take Adam and that apple! His appetite be could not check. And we the consequence must grapple— He gave it to us in the neck!—Exchang.

'How was that?" "I passed William Jones," he

Now they are going to have sleeping-cars for cattle

The fervid feeling of the elections seems to justify

Hint to the housekeeper-Make your snow cak

WORLDLINGS.

Justin McCarthy, the Irish Home Ruler, litera

man and novelet, is fifty-nine years old. He is

The two Russian grand dukes who are coming to

America are Nicelas-Alexandrovitch, Czarowitch

George-Alexandrovitch, Orand Duke of the Km pire. The former is a Colonel in several Russian

two years old and his brother twenty.

and at Williams College.

her skill in plane playing.

the South African fields,

Austrian and Prossian regiments. He is twenty-

Prof. Canfield, the Kansas independent who

man. He is forty-three years old and was born in Ohio, but his education was secured in Brooklyn

Archduchess Maria Dorothea is one of the beautie

complexion. She is noted for her charities and for

There are only apout twenty really great diamond

VACRANT VERSES.

By the Morning Light.

c shift and shell had spared to sit. Its four prown aggs and little nest. — Washington Post

Triolet.

From a barrel of ashes
The adversix ad crung.
Upon my gene dashes
I from a larrel of ashes
I from a larrel of ashes
I sent her this owning.
From a harrel of ashes
The sidewalk advrning.

- Hoston B

Many Such.

Franche St. Joseph News.

Two Giants

known the world over, gnawing at the vitals of

every nation, existing in the blood of nearly every

modern medicine, the great enemy of impure

blood, accomplishing the most wonderful cares of

Hood's Sarsaparilla

100 DOSES ONE DOLLAR

conquer lum by she aid of the Grant of Health.

Oh, glad and red, oh, glad and red
The morning light gloved everywhe
And one beam touched the father dea
And one the child was knell in pray
And from the trampied corn and day

m Golconda and Brazil, but the largest are from

small physically, but the concentration of energy.

Poor Smith, when he had to sing baby to

a pension of \$600 per annum should starve

its farewell from FARWELL,

rein for the wealthy groom.

and other soot-cursed towns should be les-

ion of just claims curt or unjust,

A Guilty Conscience Needs No Ac

cuser.

[From Puck.]

Policeman (who wants to help Uncle Eber

my fare? Whacky! I don't wanter git run in.

Winter's Direct Terror.

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WHAT DOES IT TEACH?

This is a picture carved from jet and framed in the brilliant enamelling of Christ- least trouble? mas. What does it teach? An old man of seventy-four, after three years wrestling to obtain the necessaries of life, with dull despair in his poor, feehly beating heart, wrote and refused. It seems entirely probable with his numb fingers an excuse to man for his existence and a prayer that God would forgive him for leaving it, and then array ing himself in the cleanest linen that he had and the least miserable of his clothing, drained as he thought respite from his trials from a small vial of oxalic acid.

When such a thing can happen in our proud civilization on the day of peace on of an early breaking up. earth to men of good will what are we going to do about it? Can the brain of the mineteenth century, which rescues men from the most tengelous crine of death. devise no means for the succor of such unfortunates ?

A WORTHY FUND.

To day and to-morrow the collection for the hospitals will be made in this city and Brooklyn. It is an exceedingly worthy charity. The only ground on which the contributions of citizens are asked is the misery and need of brother human creatures. No denominational color restricts this claim, and the moneys are applied directly to the patients.

Let us remember that the keypote of the highest civilization which the world can know is the brotherhood of man. The man blushing philosophy of selfishness is the at an upper berth! of his brother, and such an one deserves to

POISONOUS CANDY.

One pleasing indication of the healthful during the holidays while "mommer" was out shop ping, used to sing it: "Buy, buy, beby," influence of a high civilization is the purity which obtains in the saccharine delights of. fered by the confectioners to the public's sweet tooth. A large standing reward has been for years awaiting whose shall prove one an adulterer of candies.

Wholesome sweets in due moderation are so far from being deleterious that they are and Hereditary Grand Duke, and his brother, even beneficial. But in days not so long past it was no uncommon thing for persons to be poisoned by eating candy which had some purtful element in its composition. The change for the better is due to the manu change for the better is due to the manu spires to succeed Ingalis in the Senate, has the facturers of the sugary confections them personal appearance of a rotund and well-fad elergy. selves, who clubbed together to maintain purity in their bonbons.

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY TRUST. AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY TRUST. of the Austrian Imperial family. She is above They are forming a Trust in the West for medium height, with dark hair and eyes and a fresh

the machines for agricultural uses. The ufacturers contend that competition has driven them to the wall so badly that some of them have had to sell their machines at a price below the actual expense to the manufacturers for their con

This sounds very plausible. But the fact This sounds very plausible. But the lact
remains that a Trust is an octopus and
honest men and their labor fall beneath
the horrible grasp of its tentacles.

The sterm of yesterday was not quite up

The sterm of yesterday was not quite up

to the blizzard mark, but was a very pretty
specimen of Winter weather, and when its
deposits begin to assume the vile form of
alush and dirty water it will seem quite
affliction enough. The Street-Cleaning Department took advantage of the eloquent downfall of the "Beautiful" to again assame its favorite attitude of the outstretched paim and the plaintive cry for money to rid the city of its incubus of snow and refuse. If the cleaners need money, for goodness take give it to them. Let us have navigable streets.

A New York paper has commented rather severely on Chief Justice Doz, of New Hampshire, for allowing Sawtellie a whole year of life before his execution. If this paper were better informed it would know that the statute law of New Hampshire requires that a year's solitary confine ment for the prisoner condemned to capital punishment shall intervene between the imposition and execution of the sentence. Hence Chief Justice Dog had no more to do with determining the margin of life left to SAWTELLE than the paper in question.

The "big trees" of California should be relied with his wife at some time or another? secured against any and all invasion. They are a National feature, and no interests of commerce or gain should be allowed to result in their injury and removal. Happily, the enormous size of the biggest of them is protection in itself, as they could be handled by the fellers and lumbermen only with the greatest difficulty. But do not let them be touched.

Somehow it looks as if homicide were justifiable when a pig-headed farmer trotties along with his market wagon in front of a mail train thereby delaying it one solid hour. What was the matter with throwing the bucche chump, cart and all, into the snow at the side?

Mayor Gleason of Long Irland City, has Sold by all druggiets, \$1; six for \$5. Propage not been chastened into forgetfulness of only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Lewell, Mass. his dear old ways. He is now charged with

conspiracy and extortion of money for conferring the beneficent privilege of selling rum. Incidentally it may be remarked that purveyor of strong drinks to the public

and place. Sould gloves and skirts with a fringe of braid that should have been renewed the was vigorously opposed to Mayor Fads. Fashions and Fancies That GLEASON'S re-election called on that worthy Delight the Gentler Sex. at his office, and five minutes later descended the stairs with the rapidity of an

> New Things in Fur Capes Mrs. Astor's Necklace-A Hint on Chocolate Making - The Agreeable Girl.

The newest thing in fur capes in a fringe of people with like interests, not in keeping them sable talls for the sieeve pieces carried over apart that she may monopolize each in turn; the shoulder in graduated lengths. Most of for to see others happy adds to her enjoyment. the capes are the habit shirt form, with two clongated points falling below the waist. The half-way, and does not forget faces when she only choice in collars lies between the high Medici or the military band collar, and each of meets them two days later. them are sold with patent springs distinct from If impossible to meet the engagement she ravishing. But even these moments, too the capes.



Doctors declare facial neuralgia to be greatly on the increase, and sternly and stubbornly retuse to lay the cause at any other door than that of the miliner.

The costly butterfly made of diamonds and fillgree gold, mounted upon a spiral which trembles with every movement of the wearer, is fully as fashionable now as it ever has been, though it is less novel than a flower pin made of enamel in natural colors with dewdrops of diamonds. Hairpins of tipted and frosted silver and gold, as well as enamel, are very fashionable, and antique designs are frequent, heart of each individual person. To the best shell combs and ornaments are expensive, and are made from the shell of the ture is certainly difficult. But with a

On many of the well-dressed children are seen stockings in the Scotch plaids. These are very artistic and add much style to the very short kilts of the small boy and the dainty white frocks of future society queens.

Here is a warning to the Delearte cranks. It comes from a writer in the New York Truth; "Physical culture has ruined my figure. It has developed the muscles above the waist so that I cannot put my old-size corset on. My waist is as small as it ever was, but oh! those muscles!" The muscles referred to are those between the bust and the waist-line. Possibly this is the reason why so many physical-culture girls take off stays-i. e., be cause they cannot wear them any more; the once trim waist is a thing of the past. The physical-culture girl grows mascuine in



Mrs. William Astor has a wonderful diamonnecklace. It is six strings deep and is set with no gold visible, giving the diamonds the appearance of being strung together. Mr. Astor has lately had it entirely reset, and has replaced all the smaller and inferior stones with diamonds of surpassing brilliancy. . Mrs. Astor rarely wears it, as she is not overfond of personal adornment. Both she and Mr. Astor, Dirty days hath September,
April, June and November.
And from February until May
The ram it rainesh everyday,
All the rest have althry-one.
Without a single gleam of sun;
And it they should have thirty-two,
They'd be duit and dirty, too.

They'd be duit and dirty, too. however, rejoice in the possession of beautiful jewels and are willing to pay a fortune any day in the week to obtain them, taking the same pride in their ownership that they would in beautitul piece of Haviland or Satsuma.

Beauty is a very fine thing to have, but style s wastly better.

All the favor, fans bear the monogram of the recipient in silver.

in the rural parts of Scotland the young vomen go barefooted most of the year. On Sunday these buxom damsels may be seen and their stockings hung properly over their "Did you ever know a man who never quarsit down on the grass and with more case than modesty proceed to don their hosen and shoon, for it would be regarded as quite improper to enter the kirk without these articles of

property disposed. When you make chocolate now of an evening sprinkle a little eliberation on top after the chocolate has been poured into the cup. It adds the same piquancy and charm that nutmeg does to lemonade, lemon juice does to sicepless nights, and in fact, was granky and ugir. Vichy, alleet lemon does to tea, or, to come Is all, it was a miserable existence for me until I nearer home, that salt does to an egg.

Here is the Boston Globe's description o The Agrecable Girl " the is sometimes rich, but seldom handsome;

yet we all like to meet her in this work-a-day or dispepsia, my nerves are strong, no more free world of ours. world of ours.

She meets one cordially, does not rush up bysterically and, establing at one's hand of freshed; is inc. I feel our west and get up reduced in the highest and best sense well bred.

Bit is always well dressed, not conspicu-

onely, for that savors of vulgarity; but her dress is always in harmony with the time

Sae is not necessarily brilliant, indeed seldom

She understands the art of listening to

My lady always takes pleasure in introducing

She meets newcomers in the church or home

lier appointments are always met promptly.

writes a note at once and explains, thereby

She never audresses her geutlemen acquaint-

ances by their first name; that familiarity is

reserved for him who has a deeper claim than

She is well versed on the current topics of

the day, and does not blunder through a con-

versation with statements of which she knows

way of getting up a variety of house gowns.

Everybody's salvation is in his own hands

Joy comes from within, and joy is a home

shut that out. It cannot be imported, even a

little experimentation every woman can

find out for herself how it should be done.

For one thing, it is necessary that the snimal-

ism should not be allowed to exhaust itself.

Try to keep up energy. Mimic the strange

homely noises that the chickens make. Pat

f your feet are cold and your heart is chilly.

itss your husband, even if he docen't

seem to have much time for it. Make a

She will not be loved unless she is charming.

think you are. Ten to one you are more de-

lightful in manner, and more clever of speech

than you realize. Say the brightest things

they are remarks such as will confer han

piness and not cause pain. If you have

eretty clothes, put them on, If you

have have some ideas, let others know of them

f you are acquainted with any games, get

them out for the benefit of the family these

dark evenings when the rising wind rushed

through the black boughs of the wind break

and yells in at you derisively through the

hose were given you to educate. Let them

ers. In trying to acquire comforts for the

A Popular Concert.

So Bay We All.

Fogg-Ob, get along with your mother-in-ia

A Shaky Bridge.

[From Pitishurg Disparch.]

"Why don't you give the tellow up if

"Oh, you see, he helped me to this place, and I don't like to go tack on the bridge that

* No, it's merely prudence. I'm afraid if went back on him he might let me drop."

Will Interest All.

For two years I was one of the most muserable o

mankind. I had indignation and nerrous dyspepsia; everything I are disagreed with my stomach, which caused me to have a fluttering of the heart. I was

In all, it was a miserable existence for me until I used Dr. Greene's Norvura. After trying al

other remedies and giving up all hope of getting sured, I concluded I would try Dr. Greene's Ner

vurs. After taking two bottles I began to feel the effects of it and continued until I considered myself cured. I have no so more indignation

such a deceitful, disagreeable fellow?

That's megnanimous in you."

my car. Day-day!

trinking or speculating or lying.

you, but do not make them your mas-

sheds where the shivering animals crouch.

saving much discomfort and inconvenience.

sense of the Stness of things.

nere acquaintance.

to look after theirs.

to know.

divorce case to the woman who has been un-fortunate in her domestic relations. Tree Fund Has Been a she never speaks of the last sensational Nicholas and Union clubs, and out of If one is ill and my lady calls no disagree- out for club-house fire No. 2. This able subject is introduced that will jar on the morning, nothing daunted by our previous apis, yet she manages to note her own in society, report of a \$500 dery visitation at the Racquet Thanks Are Due to Charitable not by storming its doors, but by her keen Club. And this is No &

THE CLEANER.

POOR MADE HAPPY
There, what did I tell you't Vesterday reference was made in this column to the "fire eneds" unfriendly calls upon the St. Nicholass and Culon clubs, and out of nour friend Howard's month was taken he warning to other clubment to look out for club-house fire No. 2. This morning, nothing dunted by our previous appropriation of his thunder, Howard repeated he warning. This morning, tone comes the protof a \$500 dery visitation at the Racquet Club. And thus is No. 2.

Besides being an acknowledged authority on orthogory. Prof. Alfred Ayres is an accomplished scholar, and one at whose feet learned on one in varied walks of the might sit and learn. He stand was to the religion of the condemned when the Shering. THE SUBSCRIPTIONS, for the failfule mortal, should, somehow, when I find myself in his company i imagine that ican appreciate the feelings of the condemned when the Shering will be consent. The SUBSCRIPTIONS, for the failfule mortal knows that the Profession of the condemned when the Shering will be chose.

Another Distribution to Be. Held at Standard well and myself in his company i imagine that ican appreciate the feelings of the condemned when the Shering will be incompleted and myself in his company i imagine that ican appreciate the feelings of the condemned when the Shering will be incompleted and myself in his company i imagine that ican appreciate the feelings of the condemned when the Shering will be incomply imagine that ican appreciate the feelings of the condemned when the Shering will be incompleted and myself in his company i imagine that ican appreciate the feelings of the condemned when the Shering will be incompleted and and Armone Religion and Armon

An old lady paused in her mad career on Broadway this morning to look at the counterfeit presentment of six handsome little tailors. Gazing intently at the portraits for a long time, she turned to her companion with: ' I wonder if they were all twins ?"

Fred Cecil Brooks, the "Fiddier" of the ING WORLD'S Christmas Tree parties on Christ-She does not inform an artist what the standard works of art are. He is supposed composer of the pretty garotte played inter act any of the depots may apply to Agent George o know.

She minds her own business, leaving others iner" as well. Since he first told to this paper o'clock on Tuesday next, for a supplementary the h story of that convict coat which he wears and final distribution of gifts. in the play, he has worked it off with varia-A good idea, which gives variety and pretti- tions and elaboration upon newspaper men all ness to the house costumes, is to make several over the country, and as it appears in a New fancy waists of surah and China slik. To west York dramatic paper this week it would naidly Maudo Allen, Ella Young, Adolph Wanlin, Gerover these have a black velvet zouave jacket, be recognized. But Fred only lies to give trade, Grover C. Arestine Corinne Smith and With old slik or lace skirts these will always pleasure, and the last edition of this one is a Jonal Lynch, ir.—Your contributions were relook well, and it will prove an inexpensive splendid argument in favor of the theory of evolution and the survival of the fittest

> It strikes me that there is not among the younger generation of New York newspaper men another so enthusiastic, conscientious or industrious as Charles Parker Cooper. He is the son of a Methodist clergyman of Syracuse, and the fasted turkey will be killed in his honor Christmas in the Saline City.

Amos J. Cummings was a topsawyer in newspaperdom before he was a Congressman. newspaperdom before he was a congression of the new reporter has been Overture.

Mr. K. Goodman Overture.

Opening Address.

Judge McAdam Shakespearian Revision and Violin and Violoncello, Shakespearian Revision and Violoncello, Shakespearian Revision and Violoncello, Shakespearian Revision and Violoncello, Recitation, "Painter of seville" Miss Kons Miller Recitation, "Painter of seville" Miss Kons Miller None. three pedestrians, wreck the applewoman's stand and scatter her goods ail over City Hall Balcony Socue, from Romeo and dilief Widmer Park—we don't wast it. It's just what ought to happen. It is the expected, But if that dog sits down and deliberately turns around Song—By the charming little vocalist, brooklyn's Song—By the charming little vocalist, brooklyn's

manufacture. No system of legislation can short distance. It must be made within the the Fifth Avenue Hotel in this city. It comprised a collection of native fruit-bearing trees and loose fruits, which employees of the Caronicle forwarded to Mr. de Young and which Klunder most artistically arranged. Oranges, dates, olives and other truits, with handsome specimens of the California bamboo and palms, figured in the display and gave the room an air of the tropics. he cows on the head and talk to them, even

Undoubtedly one of the most interesting of the Kochine experiments in this city will be Matthew Dean & Co., Washington street; that instituted yesterday at St. Francis's Hospital by Dr. Sarady. The case is one injoke with the children. They will re-volving the same disease which caused pay you by a fund of cheerfulness which will the death of Gen. Grant, a variety of in turn be an inspiration to you. Do not make cancerous trouble known as epitheliama a mistage of doing so much on one day that of the lip. It strikes me that it you will have no strength left to work the may not be entirely a coincidence that this following day. There is absolutely no sense in case should have fallen to Dr. Shrady. It is overworking. It falls of its purpose. The more than natural that he should seek as opwork will suffer the following day as portunity for a further contest with the enemy sure as there is a balance of affairs against which he lately cattled so bravely in this universe—as there surely is vain. The country may not hang so breath-Do not forget that you are a woman and that | jeesly upon his announcements in this case as woman must be loved in order to be harpy. | when the nation's hero was under his care, but his progress will be watched with more Ten to one you are better looking than you than the ordinary feeling of mere curiosity.

MUSICAL NOTES.

It was not really opera weather last night. politan Opera-House, where there was a large season of Beethoven's "Fidelia." This magnincent work is always heard with pleasure, and it is a pity that it will not be repeated. Antonio Mielko was Fidelio and Florestan, and very excellent was the work of both these artists. In fact no more artistic interpretation of the opera has been heard here. Emil Fischer was also successful. After the prison scene Frau Michte, with Gud hus and Fischer, had ody and future privileges for the mind do not ensiave yourself with uncrasing labor. Be performance of the "Leonora Overture No A" between the second and third acts of the can attain success and happiness. But when opera. "Pidelio" was well put upon the stage, and was received with as much enthusi-sm as anything that bas occu

The second afternoon concert of the seaso A popular concert in aid of the Teachers' Pension Fund, under the auspices of the was given vesterday at the Metropolitan Opera-Teachers' Association, will be given to-night at tion of Walter Damrosch. There was a large the Lenox Lyecum. The programme is an excellent one, and wil be interpreted by Campanini, Mile. Glementine de Vere and Thomas's entire orenestra. It will include selections from the works of Bach, Mozart, Beethoven. Liszt, Strauss and Wagner. Campanini wil sing the "Homance" from "Carmeo," and Mile. De Vere Meyerbeer's "Shadow Dance." andience present, and the Christmas performance of Handel's work, "The Messiah," was most enjoyable. The solosia were Mile. Clementine de Vere, Mrs. Jennie Patrick Walker, Miss Carl Alves, Emil Fischer and Mr. Lavin. Mile. de Vere did some admirable work, and her "Rejoice Greatly" and "There Were Shepherds Abiding " were most artisti-[From Boston Francoript.]
Brown-Hello, old boy! I've got a good jok:

Again it is the Tariff. [From the Washington Star.]
It is reported that a tardy clerk in the Treas-

chestonis. I've had a surfeit of them.

Brown—But the isn't a mother-in-law joke.

Frogg—On, well, then it's something about
poker. No more for me, thank you. Here's
my cer. Descript. ary Department attributed his tardiness to the "How do you make that out?" inquired his

"Because the cars were all going up and one were coming down."
The excuse was secepted. The Pretty Maid Again.

[From the Chicago Ness.]

"Where are you going, my pretty maid?"

"I'm going a miking, sir," see said.

"May I go with you, my pretty mais?"

"Why, certainly, as for as I'm concerned;
I don't see no use o' havin' you hangin' round,
I guess you'll be company for the call, sir, " she si

Where a Monopoly Is a Good Thing (From the Somertille Journal.) "Charite, dear, what is a monopoly?" she saked, looking up tenderly, as she rested submissively in his arms, with her dainty head nestled against his cost collar.

"Well," replied Charme, manfully streg-gling to bring als mind to cope with abstruc-subjects, and falling alto-ether to get beyond concrete facts, "I sincerely hope that this is."

A Shining Example. [From the Indianapolic Journal] Rev. Mr. Wilgus-No man can truly say he is aos his trother's keeper. Watts-1 can go you one better than that, in Keeping my whe's trother.

MINIATURE SOCIETY QUEENS.

How the Vanderbilt grandchildren are

More Gifts to Be Distributed. Any children who had tickets for THE EVEN

Acknowledgments. Joan Lynca, jr. - Your contribu ceived, for which accept thanks.

IT PLEASED THE AUDITORS.

Programme of a Successful Enter tainment for the Christmas Tre Fund.

Following was the programme presented at THE EVENING WORLD Christman Tree entersinment at Hardman Hall, Tuesday evening. all of the performers acquitting themselves

Uncle Eben-Gosh all hop-up! How'd he know I got downtown on that car thout parin

dog sits down and deliberately turns around and gnaws the cord off his tail and frees himself of that tin cau—we want half a column about that!"

As pretty and remarkable a Christmas gift as any that I was permitted to see was that which Mr. M. H. de Young, of the San Francisco Chronicle, proudly displayed in his parior at the Fifth Avenue Hotel in this city. It com-

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generous assistance resource laise to Mr. Maxwell, of the Fifth Avenue Storage Warehouse,
Thirteeath street and with a venue, and to Mr.
Show, of the Art Rooms, 12 West Twentytuird street.

Packages have also been received from the

Braseman.—Blint's you tell me to punch all
the tickets in the rear car?
Conductor —Yes. And what then?
Conductor—Yes. And what then?
Conductor—Ye

Stow, of the Art Rooms, 122 west, Iwentythird street.

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spoke a weight of sorrow on the mind seemed to suggest that grief had greatly sisted time in turning the hair white seements.

A number of men were sitting around in and they had been telling stories of the "pistol which is not loaded" and in

eagerly asked three listeners.

" A lingering, painful death !" sympe

Jiggs opened a cigar store on an uptov

passing by, thought he would step in an patronize him, says Texas Siftings, A comp of his chums happening along, Jaggs to vited them in to take a smoke. Jiggs wasn in, but his boy was.

"How much for the three cigars ?" asic Jaggs, after a selection was made and the men had begun to smoke.

"So it is," said Jiggs; "three cigars ou of that box cost a dollar. Hand over an

Jaggs did it, but he doesn't patronize h friend Jiggs any more. He was Right.

From the Chicago Times.]

woman. "Ab," continued the customer, "I though as much. The proprietor would likely try sell me a pair of gloves, terhaps."

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fatality. The white-haired man said in plaintive voice:
"I have a story to tell. I returned ho

"After a time—it seemed hours—I oper my eyes, and put the pistol back." But your wife-was she killed instar

Brakeman—You can see for yourself. What
Brakeman—You can see for yourself. What
with the doctor's bill and the tailor's, and the
loss of time, I may get out of it for a couple

"No; as I said, the pistol was I
My wife was undurt, of course."
But you said she was dead."
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na;es washt lavolte. Siy log was lavolte, and the nace, yes; but when Jacksnapes carried off the money he's a away-up favorite, see? What d'I care for who's lavorite before the race; I want my money on the hoas as is favorite when the time is hung out, see? avenue not long ago, and his friend Jagg

"You don't seed any."

'How can I advertise without money?"

'Go off somewhere and hide yourself.
Newspapers will be appraised of the strange drapp-arance. Foul play will be suspected.
Your name will be kept before the public for, say, two weeks. Then you turn up all right.
Business re-established."

men had begun to smoke.

"Seventy-five cents," said the boy.
"Seventy-five cents for three cigars for roared Jaggs; "that's outrageous."

Just then Jiggs entered. "Here, Jiggs, says Jaggs, "what do you s'pose your both charged me for these three cigars?"

Jiggs looked at the box and said: "Whadid he charge you?"
"Seventy-five cents, and it's wrong."
"So it is, "said Jiggs; "three cigars ou;

" Are you-T" said the customer, heelts

ingly, to the haughly young woman at th glove counter, who kept her eyes fixed on spot three feet above his bead.
"Well?" inquired the naughty young w man. ... Are you the proprietor of this store? eaked the customer.
"No, I'm not," replied the haughts your

The Woman Did It. "What makes you go on such sprees, De

"Result of living up to a promise I made u

wife."

"What? You don't mean it?"

"Yes. You see, it's like the: She made me pomise never to be seen coming out of sacon, and wenever I to ano lake something it temesmort the primine and for lear of being seen coming out, I stay in the saloon unsome one has to carry me out."

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the lickets in the rear car?
Conductor-Yes. And what then?
Brakeman-When I got half way through
the car I came to a big feller, and I reached
out for his ticket. "What do you want of
my ticket?" says be. To punch it, says I.
"W-II," says n., "my check is my ticket."
Conductor-And what did you say?
Brakeman-Says I: My orders is to punch
all tickets."

thetically they asked.
"No; as I said, the pistol was not lo

at the races to day?

Chelly Griggs—In it? Well, I should say.

Do y' know I wen a cool \$800 on the mile 'n'
eighth race; backed the favorite Jackanapes!'—' Jacksknapes! Aw. come off: Jekanapes wasn't favorite. Sly Dog was favorite, and ''

But you said the pistol was not loade."

"Yes, she died two years ago of old age."

"And why did you tell this story?"

"To show you there are times when the pistol is really not loaded. There are exceptions to all rules, you know. This is the one exception to the seven instances you gentlemen have recited."

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